

<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>			Docket No. 02309/0202739-US0	
Application No. 10/530,292-Conf. #4654	Filing Date April 4, 2005	Examiner M. M. Kidwell	Art Unit 3761	

Applicant(s): Tatsuya Tamura et al.

Invention: ABSORBENT ARTICLE WITH COMPRESSED GROOVE AND FLEXIBLE PORTION

**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.  
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
<b>Total Claims</b>	6	- 20 =	0	x 50.00	0.00
<b>Independent Claims</b>	1	- 3 =	0	x 210.00	0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
Other fee (please specify):					
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:</b>					0.00

☒ Large Entity
 ☐ Small Entity

☒ No additional fee is required for this amendment.

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 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Dated: April 17, 2008